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IN RE APPLICATION: Hiroyuki OCHIAI, et al.

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FOR: METAL COMPONENT, TURBINE COMPONENT, GAS TURBINE ENGINE, SURFACE
PROCESSING METHOD, AND STEAM TURBINE ENGINE

LETTER SUBMITTING REPLACEMENT DRAWING SHEET(S)

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SIR:

Responsive to the below indicated communication, the following drawing sheets are submitted herewith:

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The changes and/or modifications made include the following:

Figures 2, 4-5 and 8-9 should be labeled separately as Figures 2a, 2b, 4a, 4b, etc.

Respectfully Submitted,

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